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| <b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)</b>   |                           | Docket Number (Optional)<br>514202000100 |
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| In re Application of Timothy M. ASKINS et al.                 |                           |  |
| Application Number<br>09/496,563                              | Filed<br>February 2, 2000 |  |
| For MULTI-THREADED FRAME SAFE SYNCHRONIZATION OF A SIMULATION |                           |  |
| Art Unit<br>2123  | Examiner<br>D. Craig      |  |

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))   | \$ _____  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))  | \$ _____  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) - one month extension paid on 5/20/03 | \$ 840.00 |
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☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ 420.00.

☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

☐ The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.

☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 03-1952.

I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. Fee Transmittal form (PTO/SB/17) is attached to this submission in duplicate.

I am the ☐ applicant/inventor.

☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.  
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).

☒ attorney or agent of record. Registration Number 38,185

☐ attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).  
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NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.

☒ Total of 1 forms are submitted.

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